



Executives of the Benilde Club count final returns of Christmas Card Drive.

Benilde Club Drives Conclude Proceeds To Profit Missions

Along with the commencement of the Christmas season the Benilde Club began its annual drives. According to reports the results of the drives have surpassed expectation.

The fourth annual food drive previously held provides for occupants of Saint Joseph's Home for the Aged. Eight cartons of canned food and cigarettes were collected at the Vanderbilt Ave. entrance and in the track room. The chairman and supervisor of the drive was Gerard Schriffen of 417.

On December 23rd at the Christmas show five dolls were raffled off in order to give aid to the Propagation of the Faith. Over one hundred and sixty dollars were contributed. Supervising the drive was Brian Connell of 312.

Over 80,000 stamps were received for the Stamp Drive which began on December 5th.

The Christmas Card Drive, a new type of proposal at Loughlin began December 19th. Over 20,000 cards were received for catechetical purposes. They will be sent to the Christian Brothers Mission at Nairobi, Kenya. Paul Wolski of 117 was chairman and Philip Ryan of 311 was co-chairman.

Seniors Commence Prom Preparations

Plans are underway for the Senior Prom of the Class of '61. It will be held May 12 at the Astorian Manor, the scene of last year's prom. This affair will once again be under the direction of Brother A. James.

The prom will follow along traditional lines. The affair will be a dinner-dance and the young ladies attending will receive favors.

The prom committee is being composed through Senior Activities, which is moderated by Brother James. The various committees such as the tuxedo committee and the dinner and favors committee are now in the process of formation. The prom chairman will be chosen soon.

Brother James stated, "Over the years Loughlin's Senior Proms have been getting better and better. The Class of 1961 can look forward to a Senior Prom that will be the best yet."

Loughlin Science Exposition to Exhibit Projects Representing Many Subjects

Encouraged by apparent success in the last two years, Loughlin will conduct its third annual Science Fair in the school cafeteria, Friday, February 24, and Saturday, February 25. The affair is under the supervision of Brother Albert.

As stated by Brother Albert, the purpose of the fair is: "to promote science in Loughlin; to produce Catholic leaders, in man's scientific world of today and the future, to interest students in scientific careers, and to give our students the opportunity to win scholarships and awards for top notch efforts."

Entries may delineate upon any of the sciences including: biology, physics, chemistry, general science, meteorology, medicine, physiology, electronics, engineering and mathematics. Projects should be as cost-free as possible with ingenuity and initiative replacing high-cost materials.

Friday's exhibition, presented from 3 to 5 p.m., is mainly for the students and will be climaxed with the judging. On Saturday, parents and the general public can view the exposition which will be open from



Brother Albert assists a student in preparing his Science Fair Project.

1:30 to 4:30 p.m. Judging will be based on development of scientific ideas in the project, construction, neatness, planning, initiative and originality.

College Board Examinations To Have Different Schedule

The College Entrance Examination Board will offer a new schedule for the 1961 - 1962 scholastic year. The new calendar will eliminate the February testing date, and offer the aptitude and achievement tests on all other dates.

Since the February test has been characterized in the past by a low attendance it was deemed more practical to exclude it entirely, beginning next year.

Importance of Tests

Almost every college in the United States requires its applicants to take either the College Board Aptitude Test or a similar test conducted by Ohio State University. The tests are used in conjunction with a student's high school records to determine his college capabilities.

The writing sample, the newest offered by the board, is required by most of the prestige colleges. The achievement tests are used by most colleges for placement of students. Another test for this purpose is the ad-

vanced placement exam also given by the CEEB.

Loughlin Board Member

The CEEB was established at Princeton, New Jersey, in 1948. Bishop Loughlin High School became a testing center in 1955 and today, as a member of the CEEB board of managers, has voting privileges in decisions made by the board.

It is suggested by Brother Raphael that any Loughlinite who takes the tests should take them at Loughlin where he will be at ease in familiar surroundings.

Read Board Bulletin

A new policy of the college board is that scores of tests taken from December 1960 will be sent to all colleges that the results of latter tests are required to be sent to. In applying to take any of the board tests it has been advised that the directions given in the Bulletin of information be followed carefully.

Leo Honor Society Elects Conway President Cardos, O'Sullivan Also Designated Officers

At a special meeting last December 20, Joseph Conway was elected President of the Leo Honor Society. Brother Aloysius Raphael, the moderator, presided over the meeting, but immediately after his election, Conway commenced his official duties and shared in the direction of the proceedings.

Other Important Posts Filled

Chosen to fill the position of vice-president was Stephen Cardos of 317, and William O'Sullivan, also of 317, took over the station of secretary-treasurer. Those elected as representatives of the executive board were Paul Wolski, 117, Joseph Doyle, 116, Joseph Roccaforte, 311, and David Pascale, 317. When asked his opinion of these choices, Brother Raphael replied, "The members voted and selected their own leaders and I think they did a fine job in selecting the best."

Facts About the Society

Begun by Bishop Molloy and the Diocesan Authorities under him, the underlying purpose of the Leo Honor Society is to encourage its members to endeavor to the utmost of their abilities in all scholarship competitions and opportunities offered them. Only the top four percentile group



among the Juniors and Seniors must maintain a high average, are received into the ranks of this organization. To become a member, Juniors and Seniors must maintain a high average, with no failures. At this time there are 75 members, out of 1850 Loughlinites.

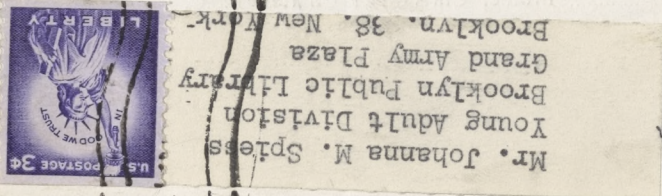
Student Officers Undertake Renovation Of Constitution

Revision of the student constitution which contains all the rules of the school and procedures of the student council is now under consideration. Because the constitution was first comprised in 1942 many changes have since been made in the school thereby making it obsolete.

A committee of seniors with Bill Langan as chairman has been appointed for the revision. Some of the new things proposed are the exclusion of the office of executive vice-president, elections conducted later on in the year, and the assignment of a definite duty to each officer. Regarding the losers of

the presidential election, one would be made chairman of the A. D. C. and the other would be appointed floor leader of the student congress.

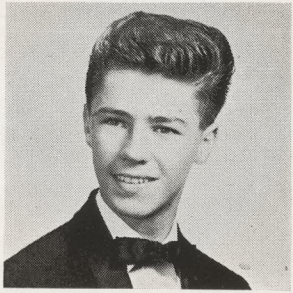
Another plan under consideration in the Student Congress. This would be an assembly made up of representatives from every class. Officers would be elected and any matters that would arise would be subject to the decision of a board of judges. The purpose of the Congress would be to hear complaints issued by any teacher or student councilor concerning any matter of importance they wish to report.



PERSONALITIES

KEN KUBAT

The life and ideals of our first Personality, Jim Candia 117, seems to revolve around the quaint (?) country burg of **Miller Place**, where he spends his summer. It seems he's President of the Miller Beach Surf Club Teenage Committee, and represents the teenagers on the Surf Club's Executive Board.



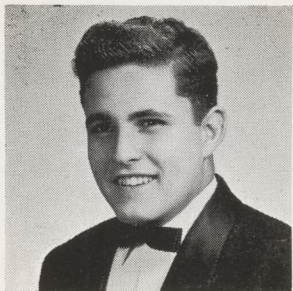
JIM CANDIA

Ho — ho — ho! The world's first Italian Santa Claus, Rudy Guiliani, now hops (thud) from Toyland to Personalities.

Rudy's famous for many things, like holding the presidency of 126, founding Loughlin's Opera Society, bothering Long Island Rail Road passengers, being the highest batter in 1960 softball intramurals, managing the white party's campaign, and telling everyone how wonderful JFK is.

Rudy is really the all around (har!) type person, since, besides the above accomplishments, he's a La Salle Club Representative, Catechist, and committeeman of several past Loughlin dances.

St. Raphael's Parish, East Meadow, doesn't — nay, couldn't! — know what a gem they possess in Rudy, who plans to study medicine in Manhattan.



RUDY GUILIANI

As an extra added attraction, this month we have the group personality of five outstanding Loughlinites, the 1961 members of the La Salle "500" Club. The total solicited by these men was \$2,718.

First is **John Montelione**, president of the club, from Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish, Ozone Park. Jack is a Catechist, has won a handball trophy, contributes to the **Loughlin Quarterly**, participates in bowling intramurals, and foresees a career in medicine.

Vice-President **Bob Zawacki**, from St. Patrick's Parish, Brooklyn, contributes his tremendous scholastic abilities to the Leo Honor Society's tutoring program, represented Loughlin at the IBM Science Symposium at Columbia last October and plans to study science upon graduation.

John Guasconi, a member of the executive board of the Benilde Club, a violinist in the orchestra, and member of the French Club, is next. John plans to major in history at Manhattan or Iona. Incidentally, he's been to Europe three times and received a personal letter and Christmas card from the Pope.



Bob MacDonnell, who played "George" in the Senior play, makes music with the Jazz Combo and with a group called the "Moonbeams," led by Bill Fanning. He's leaving his parish of St. Fidelis to study law at Fordham in September.

In conclusion, we have the only Junior among the group, **Patrick Finneran** of Immaculate Conception Parish. Pat, whose five brothers attended Loughlin, is a member of the Benilde Club and hopes to become a member of the class of '66 at St. Louis University, where he'll study accounting.

Around Loughlin

KEN GREENE

Due to unfortunate circumstances, Mike O'Donnell will no longer write this column. He is believed drowned in a vat of sulfuric acid!!!

Freshman - "I don't know"

Sophomore - "I'm not prepared"

Junior - "I don't remember"

Senior - "I don't believe I can add anything to what has already been said."

The results obtained in the bomb calorimeter in lab last Friday were truly amazing. The amount of calories given off was stupendous. Some advanced students decomposed Jack Loiello!!!

Famous Quotes

Bro. Anselm - "Did you hear the one about the psychiatrist? Well..."

Bro. Michael - "I'm in the mood to take on any twenty of you guys!"

Mr. Gehm - "A genuine carrot."

Bro. Ralph - "A callous mistake"

Mommy! Mommy! Are you sure this is the way to make pizza?"

"Shut up and get back in the oven."

"Hell!" said Satin as he answered the phone."

Now that the mid-term tests are over, I leave you with these parting words:

"Better luck next time."

Off The Record

We live today in a world interested in mass production, unbridled competition and great scientific accomplishment. All around us we see that human society is taking steps towards greater knowledge of the earth in which we live and towards a clearer understanding and development of the potential energy stored within the nucleus of the atom.

It seems, however, that mankind, on the whole, in its efforts to attain these goals has neglected considering what will be waiting for it at the end of its self-constructed "rainbow." Man has thus lost contact with himself. He no longer attempts to include spirituality in his daily life. He has begun to defeat the true purpose of his existence, and, in the process, has set up a new purpose based on materialism. He contends that he does not have the time to ponder such "unimportant" matters, such as why he was created, why he is, what he is, or why he is in his particular position in the mainstream of life.

Therefore, although man has a great desire for knowledge in practically all fields, he nonetheless is lax in considering what makes him a human being. Unless we of today take it upon ourselves to develop a keener interest in the more profound purposes of life, we will be unable to keep our modern civilization alive.

To The Victor . . .

Five of the most trying days of this school year have just passed by. For those of us who have diligently applied ourselves to studies, who have exercised our abilities to the fullest extent in an attempt to maintain excellent scholastic standards, these days have witnessed the culmination of the past five months' labors in the field of study.



Outstanding marks are the reward for these days and weeks of preparation, with the accompanying recognition of the "Gold L." These marks are also required by many colleges to which a student applies for admission.

Unfortunately, many of us have not developed our talents to the greatest extent and have, therefore, received poor marks in various subjects. But it is not too late to improve in these fields: continual self-application and study can better our marks in the next half year.

Since this is so vital, sincere introspection and diligent work is of the essence in his matter.

What Is The Third Order?

It is not, as is erroneously believed, a pious confraternity dedicated to the veneration of St. Francis. Rather, it is a form of life, instituted by St. Francis of Assisi over seven hundred years ago, to enable people living in the world to practice moderation in all things: the antidote to worldliness and excess, a sure and straight way to Christian Perfection.

The Third Order was formed primarily to sanctify its members by the observance of their *Rule of Life*, and secondly, to attract others to Christian virtue, by diffusing the Christ-like spirit of St. Francis in domestic and social life.

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LOUDSPEAKER

JOE DE LESSIO

Loughlin has always been proud of the great heights reached by its athletes while they are in school. But it is equally proud of the even greater accomplishments they attain after leaving Loughlin, accomplishments which reflect the fine training they received as athletes.

Mr. Miles, track coach at Loughlin since 1946, feels very strongly about the importance of this training. "One of my greatest rewards in coaching is watching the boys who were once under me develop into the successes that they are in the professional or business world. I believe that participation in track and field brings with it a great carry-over value which makes tough fighters of these men in later life."



There have been countless numbers of former track greats who have left Loughlin after their years of study and running, and have gone on to become successes in all walks of life. Following is but a few of these individuals who are now harvesting the seeds they planted as trackmen while they were at Loughlin.

Vernon Dixon is an excellent example of a man who combined great intellectual achievements with athletic prowess. He still holds three school records, in the quarter mile, the 440 yd. run, and the broad jump, and is the co-holder of the 100 yd. dash title. Vernon was graduated in 1951 with a four year average of 95, and maintained straight A's through Manhattan College where he is now an associate professor.

Another famous alumnus of Loughlin is Albert Ray, a graduate of 1948. Ray is the former Catholic mile champion who gained quite a bit of publicity a couple of years ago when he raced for three days against a horse over a 200 mile course. Unfortunately he developed blisters on his feet and the horse beat him, but he promised he would come back and try again. Like man, that cat's got real stick-to-it-iveness.

Father Jerome Murphy, a 1949 graduate also deserves recognition for his track abilities. He still holds the record for the 220 yard run (21.2) and was the lead off man on the 2 mile relay team that won the American Championship at the Penn Relays. Father Murphy is presently the pastor of a Maryknoll Mission in Korea.

As I mentioned before, these are but a few of the many outstanding Alumni of Loughlin. In future articles, I hope to mention other athletes, in all sports, who have given Loughlin such a rich heritage.

Mermen Topple St. John's Take Six Gold Medals

The Lion Varsity Mermen scored another victory by beating St. John's Prep, December 17. The Lion toppled the Redmen by a score of 46-40, winning first place victories in 6 of 9 events.

Danny Palese won Loughlin's first gold medal in the 50 yard freestyle while Tony Pagano followed with a first place effort in the 100 yard Butterfly. The Lions third gold medal was taken in the 200 yard freestyle by Ray Kerwick.

Lions Bounce Back

The Mermen took second place in the next three events, the 100 yard Backstroke, the 100 yard Breaststroke and the Medley, but bounced right back by scoring victories in the concluding three events. Mike Quaid copped first in the 100 yard freestyle; the Medley Relay was won by Danny Palese, Ray Kerwick, Tony Pagano and Mike Quaid, and the Lions took the 200 yard Medley Relay also.

Lion Pinmen Record Wins

Loughlin's Varsity bowlers, under the coaching of Brother C. Benedict, continued their winning ways by scoring victories over Chaminade and Brooklyn Prep, 5-0 and 4-1 respectively. These wins put the team in a deadlock for first place, having played one game less than the league leaders. Joe Kalinowski of room 305 is high man on the squad with a 182 average.

Meanwhile the JV posted another victory by topping Trinity 5-0. They now hold first place. Rick D'Annunzio of room 410 is top kegler with an average of 166.

Cagers Win Eight In Row Take Brothers' Tournament

By Matt D'Amico

Led by Captain Len Schnappauf, the hoopsters of Bishop Loughlin reeled off eight consecutive victories, to take over undisputed possession of first place in the CHSAA Division II standings and to win the annual Christian Brothers' Tournament.

December saw the Lions travelling to St. Francis Prep to engage the L'il Terriers in a high scoring tussle. In the end Loughlin came out on top 89-82. Loughlin led 23-19 at the quarter but St. Francis came back strong to tie the score 43-43 at the half.

The Lions took over in the third quarter with Larry Lembo and Len Schnappauf hitting consistently with jump shots from the outside, and Gene Parchinski getting the rebounds and scoring from underneath. Loughlin had four men in double figures: Lenny Schnappauf led the parade with 28 markers while Larry Lembo, Gene Parchinski and Art Klink hit for 25, 15 and 10 points respectively.

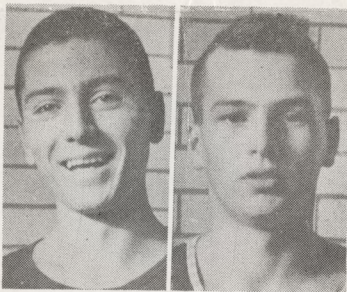
Outclass Trinity

December 14, the "Tigers" from Trinity invaded our halls to take on the "Purple and Gold," but came out on the short end of a 73-53 score.

After running up a 45-28 score at the half, Mr. Tedesco lifted the regulars and played his bench throughout the second half. Len Schnappauf, Larry Lembo, and Gene Parchinski tallied 22, 14 and 10 points.

Loughlin took on archrival Molloy on the home hardwood, December 23. Down by two points at the quarter, Loughlin stormed to a nine point lead at the half. Loughlin held on to a 46-39 lead in the third quarter, but in the fourth quarter Molloy inched up, led by Bill Lawrence, who scored a total of 40 points for the game. The Lions, however, were able to hold on, 71-68.

Loughlin made St. John's their eighth straight victim. This game was very important to both teams. St. John's needed a victory to keep their playoff hopes alive. Loughlin needed the victory to keep ahead of St. Francis in first place. The Lions had a two point advantage at intermission and stayed out in front in the second half to win 60-56.



Larry Lembo

Len Schnappauf

Loughlin could only manage a one point lead after three quarters. But in the final stanza the Lions, led by Len Schnappauf, scored 25 points to win going away 68-59.

With the win over Manhattan, Loughlin moved into the finals to face La Salle. The Lions held one point advantages after each of the first two quarters and hiked the score up to 48-45 at the third quarter. Loughlin again put on a last quarter spurt to take the crown with a 71-66 win.

Schnappauf Wins M. V. P.

After the final tournament game Len Schnappauf and Larry Lembo were both honored for their outstanding achievements on the court. Larry Lembo was picked for a coveted spot on the All-Star team. Len Schnappauf was chosen by an overwhelming majority as the Most Valuable Player. During the course of the tournament, Lenny scored 70 points in three games.

Lions Take F. S. C. Tourney

During Christmas week, the "Purple and Gold," journeyed to Manhattan College to participate in the annual Christian Brothers' Tournament. The Lions won the tournament, topping De La Salle, Manhattan Prep and La Salle for the crown.

Against De La Salle of Rhode Island the cagers showed their height advantage to take a 70-32 victory. Len Schnappauf and Larry Lembo each scored 17 points to lead the scorers, while De La Salle could not manage to get a double figure scorer.

In the semi-final round, December 28, the cagers took on defending champion Manhattan Prep. In a close game throughout, Loughlin could only manage a one point lead after three quarters. But in the final stanza the Lions, led by Len Schnappauf, scored 25 points to win going away 68-59.

Spike Shoe Club Promotes Fair Play

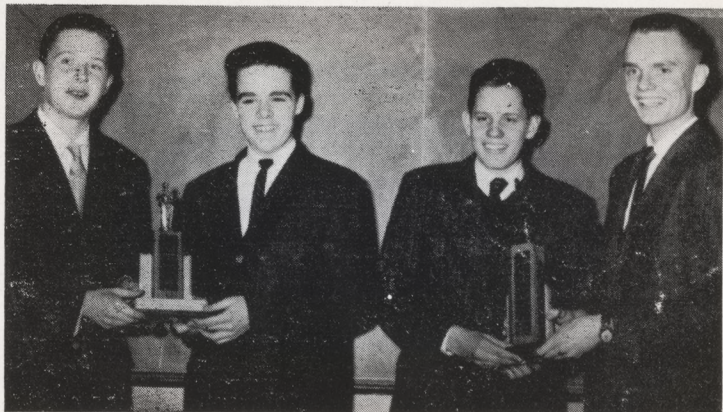


SPIKE SHOE CLUB OFFICERS: (l. to r.) John Leporati, Walter White, Pete McGrath, Ray Daniels, and Kerry Moran.

In September of 1934, the sportsmanship in the boys. This coaches and moderator of the season marks the 27th year that track team organized a plan to the Spike Shoe Club has succeeded in keeping the spirit and morale of the team and instill good sportsmanship of the boys a sense of responsibility and at a peak.

In the early years of the club, in order to become a member, one had to be a varsity trackster and have a major letter. Today however, the requirements for membership have been greatly liberalized. Now it is only necessary to be a member of the track team to qualify for membership. The club at present, with Brother Denis the moderator, K. Moran as its president, and Pete McGrath the executive vice - president, has almost two hundred active members. Other officers of the club include Walter White, vice-president, John Leporati, secretary, and Ray Daniels, treasurer.

Each year the club climaxes its activities with a year-end dinner.



Debaters Garner Three Trophies Ryan and Dolan Secure Victory

The Debating Society recently garnered three trophies in various tournaments sponsored by St. John's Prep, Brooklyn Prep and the Catholic Forensic League. The topic of the competition was, "Resolved: that the United Nations should be significantly strengthened."

Ryan and Dolan Score

Seventy-seven schools participated in the St. John's Interstate Tournament at Hillcrest. Due to the strenuous efforts of Philip Ryan, 311, and Rory Dolan, 117, Bishop Loughlin secured the third place trophy in the Debating section.

Another representative of Loughlin, Kevin Mulcahy, class 414, attained the fourth place position in Varsity Extemporaneous Speaking.

Soph Debaters Win 2 Trophies

Dominican Commercial High School played host to the annual Catholic Forensic League's Sophomore Debates. The victorious sophomores merited third place. The winners include: Arthur Dignam, Kevin Mulcahy, Donald Steller, all of 414, and Daniel Scannell, 411.

Loughlin's soph debaters also won a first place trophy in the Soph Debate conducted at Brooklyn Prep. The same team won the Dominican Commercial meet again rose to victory in this tournament.

Daniel Scannell, a sophomore ascertained a first place individual trophy as the best speaker of the day.

St. Angela Hall Defeated

Bishop Loughlin sponsored its own competition on Dec. 6. Loughlin debaters garnered a victory over St. Angela Hall Academy in four of the five rounds of debating. The winning Loughlin team included: Senior, Rory Dolan, Juniors, J. Flood, P. Ryan and M. Walsh and Sophomores K. Mulcahy, A. Dignam, D. Scannell and J. Arena.

Student Spotlight:

Student Court

JOHN McFEELY

The Student Court which is now operating at Loughlin was first formulated approximately fifteen years ago. The founder of the Court was Brother Bertrand Andrew, F.S.C., who at the present time works in the Alumni Office of Manhattan College. As the student body grew it was realized that some sort of regulatory body would have to be formed. The result was the Student Court. This also enabled the Senior Clahs to partake in a more active manner, in the administrative phase of school life.

The Court has not changed too much since that time. Then, the judges were selected by a moderator. However, at modern day Loughlin the Chief Justice is elected and he appoints his associates. Another difference is in the number of judges on the bench. We have six at a time while, at first, only one judge served at a time. Punishments were meted out differently too. The reprimand was in accordance with the misdemeanor. For example, smoking was punishable by a composition of 1500 words on "Cancer" or 500 on "The Uses of Tobacco by Indians." At present, the size of the punishment is based on the seriousness of the offense. Compositions range from 250 to 1200 words.



STUDENT JUDICARY IN ACTION: (left to right) John Pricci, Rory Dolan, Richie DeMarco, Jim Candia, and Don Taddoni.

This organization convenes once a week, on Tuesday, in room 219. The Chief Justice is R. DeMarco of room 305. He is ably assisted by the following seniors, who serve in the capacity of associate judges: J. Candia 117, J. Pricci 114, J. Hanna 126, D. Taddoni 114, T. Burns 117 and G. Bertles 119. The court is under the supervision of Brother Richard.

According to its Chief Justice, the student court is the best in recent years. He said, "I believe that the Student Court is being conducted as efficiently as is possible. The student body, both seniors and underclassmen, has been very cooperative."

When the Student Court was inaugurated at Loughlin it was done so with the design of serving as an aid to the school. It keeps the students in check and helps them to remember their obligations to the Loughlin tradition. It also serves as a disciplinary body of which the student feels that he is a part.

The worth of a body such as this has been concisely summed up by Brother Andrew, its founder, "The Student Court is beneficial to the school and to the students if it is handled correctly."

VOICE OF LOUGHLIN

Q. What was the most memorable event during the past school year of 1960?

A. When Brother Anslem said in June, "Now we'll come back one week earlier in September and do the first book of Vergil! Right?"

P. Wolski 4A-117

The most memorable event at Loughlin was the display of devotion, loyalty and faith at the Father-Son Graduation Breakfast. People stopped to watch us march from the Church to the Breakfast.

Brother Aurelius James

A. I think the most memorable event in 1960 was the First Washington Trip. You hear about it; wait for it to come; and finally when it does

come, you have a blast. You see everything, scenery, points of interest and southern girls.

S. Lucas 4A-105

A. In my opinion it was the meet in which Tyrone Pannell, out of scores of participants in the nation, became high hurdles and high-jump Champion.

E. Vassallo 2A-425

A. I think the most memorable event at Loughlin this year was the Senior Elections. Even though outlandish get-ups weren't permitted, the election provided great excitement.

T. Navarro 4A-108

A. I feel that the most memorable school event in 1960 was the terrific number of Regent's scholarships won by last year's senior class.

A. Shanley 4A-119

Alumni Society Holds Banquet

The Saint James - Loughlin Alumni Society sponsored its annual dinner on January 26, in the school cafeteria. All members of the Alumni Association, which includes some of our teachers, were invited.

Faculty Invited

Mr. Matthew Schiebel of the Class of '29 from Saint James served as chairman for the banquet and festivities. Members from as far back as the Saint James Class of 1904 attended the dinner. The President of the Alumni Association, Mr. Robert Loehfelm, extended a cordial invitation to the Loughlin faculty to attend the dinner as guests.

A cocktail party preceded the dinner to whet the appetites of those attending. On February 3, a similar cocktail party-dinner will be held prior to the Millrose Games. Many of the former Loughlin track stars will be back to attend the meet. "The Alumni holds a block of 100 seats which are the best in the house," says Brother Aurelius James, Alumni Moderator.

Project Talent Indicates The Abilities Of The Loughlinites

Last March over a half a million high school students across the country took a new two-day series of examinations entitled "Project Talent." The purpose of this aptitude and ability census is to enable our country to take an inventory of the capabilities and aptitudes of its youth.

All Students Participate

At Loughlin the entire student body participated in this guidance and information examination. "It should help all the students in developing their interests and abilities, and in realizing their full potential," says Brother Raphael, the scores will be given to the students along with a booklet explaining it.

Results Delayed

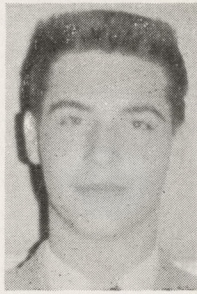
These scores will be not only on mental ability but also on interests as were rated in the tests. Although the scores were expected during the first week of January, the results will be received in early February, due to a mechanical difficulty in their computation.

Since the abundance of information, provided by the examination, on a student's special talents and capabilities is so great that the guidance director can substantially predict success in a chosen profession due to the vast resource of information on the particular student.

Heart of the Matter

RAY SOLECKI

Who has the right and mission to educate? This is an outstanding question in the world today. There are more people in the world to be educated and so much more to be learned than ever before. Even so, the need for education, in scientific matters particularly, is the very thing which has plunged the world into the most ruthless war of history, the "Cold War."



RAY SOLECKI

As Pope Pius XI stated in his encyclical DIVINI ILLIUS MAGISTRI: "A man may be learned in many things ... but is not truly educated unless he knows and appreciates the Christian way of life." This is the basis which the educational system of the Soviet Union gravely lacks. In Russia, the State takes over the family's rights to bring up its children, and to educate them in the proper Christian way.

In Russia, the young men and women are given no chance to choose their life's work for themselves. Because of the "Race for Space" many scientists are needed; therefore, many students are drafted into this field for the benefit of the State regardless of any possible detriment to the individual's soul. Even if a person does not agree with all the ideas of the Church, he can see from a purely mundane standpoint, that the State is wrong in restricting free will. Naturally, the State has the right to demand from its citizens loyalty and help in the problems which concern the well being of all, but this loyalty cannot be carried to extreme nationalism.

The many great strides which the United States has made recently in the field of science and space travel prove without a doubt that the three societies in a democratic country are the truly beneficial educators of mankind. Such a democratic country based on Christian ideals in which the family, State and Church can work in harmony can bring to the world the highest standard of living and a moral code which protects the rights of men.